

# Oregon Scout.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 1890.

## AT HOME.

### A Paragraphic Record of Recent Happenings in and Around the City.

The public school will open a week from next Monday.

The county court will meet in regular session next Monday.

A lodge of United Workmen has been organized at La Grande.

A complete assortment of school books just received at Jones Bros.

Remember the special school meeting tomorrow at half past three o'clock.

A postoffice has been established at Allcel, the new town on the Sandridge.

Mr. Ed. Remillard has sold a half interest in the Montreal saloon to G. D. Johnson.

During the past year 83 postoffices were established in Oregon and 23 were discontinued.

Those wanting a good wagon will do well to call on Hall Bros. They are handling the celebrated Newton wagon. 8-14-11

Mr. James Kelley will sell twenty head of horses at auction on September 13th, at the Cove. See advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Julius Roesch's brewery in La Grande was burglarized a few days ago. An unsuccessful attempt was made to blow open the safe with powder.

The board of equalization will meet on the 29th of September for the purpose of examining and equalizing the taxes. Read Assessor Guild's notice in another column.

The Sumpter Valley Railroad Company has been incorporated at Baker City, with a capital stock of \$250,000. It is the intention of the company to complete the road inside of six months.

In Iowa there will be a total failure of the honey crop this year. Leading apiarists say there is no honey in flowers and the clover and buckwheat have thus far yielded nothing.

There is a colored gentleman in Pendleton who will allow anyone to throw a baseball at his head for so much per throw. He is said to be coming money and his cranum, up to date, has not been hurt in the least.

Hunt is said to have come from the east with an amount of money that if in dollar bills and placed end to end would reach from Cove to Union. This being the case, you had better at once settle your Cove drug store account.

Mr. Tarter informs us that the account given in THE SCOUT last week of his dog biting a little child, was erroneous. He says the child was bothering the dog and received a slight scratch, and that the dog is not a vicious animal.

Mrs. Bonney, an aged lady living at The Dalles, was burned to death a few days ago. It is thought that her clothing caught fire from a pipe she was smoking at the time, as she came out of the house screaming with her coat in flames.

Reduced rates on certificate plans have been made for the M. E. conference to be held at Dayton, Wash., August 27, to Sep. 3d. Passengers paying full fare going, will be returned at one-fifth fare on certificates signed by Rev. Henry Brown, secretary of the meeting.

A woman in Astoria, who has nine children, wants her neighbors to adopt them so that she can marry again. She has found a fellow who says he loves her to distraction, but he can't stand the children. The good people of Astoria certainly ought to assist her to adjust matters.

Mrs. Rumbley, recently from the east, having assumed charge of the dressmaking parlors of Mrs. L. B. Rinehart, would call the attention of the ladies to the fact that she is prepared to execute dressmaking in the very latest style. A perfect fit guaranteed in every instance. 8-28-12

During the absence of the editor last week and the week before, Mr. Frank Slocum had charge of the columns of the paper. That he came out with a whole skin and his head unpunctured speaks well for his discernment and moderation. Frank knows about how a newspaper should be conducted.

The board of school directors have rented the brick building formerly occupied as a brewery and will utilize it as a school room until the addition to the school house is completed. The increasing number of children in the district necessitates this course and also the employment of another teacher.

A young man while assisting in loading sheep on the cars at the depot last Monday, swallowed a pin which stuck in his throat and caused him some peculiar sensations for a time. He came to town and Dr. Day removed it. The boy was big enough to know better than to make a pin cushion of what nature designs for a fly trap.

While Mrs. Marion Carroll was going home last Wednesday evening, and just as she entered the yard, a man sprang out of the shrubbery toward her and nearly frightened her out of her wits. Her screams frightened the intruder and he made his escape. A dose of buckshot would be very good medicine to administer to such fellows.

The custom in Eagle valley, Union county, is to have on the first day of August of each year a harvest home picnic, to which everybody is invited. These are feasts at which flow freely wit and wisdom, and the weary wanderer is made to feel at home. There is no happier community in the state than the good people of this wonderful little valley.—Lexington Budget.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Eaton, formally adopted Miss Belle Long as their daughter, this week. Belle, who is a bright and accomplished young lady, has been in the care of Mr. and Mrs. Eaton for some time and this action on their part affords her great pleasure. Lulu, the younger sister, was also adopted at the same time by Mr. and Mrs. Duke Woods, and is equally pleased.

Mr. Wesley Titus, a prosperous farmer of Ramo flat, made us a pleasant visit last Thursday. He had been over at Hildgard for several weeks and had just returned. Mr. Titus is one of THE SCOUT'S staunchest supporters and says we may count on him as a perpetual subscriber. To give his words the proper emphasis he paid for three years in advance. We wish there were more men like Mr. Titus.

Reports from Cornucopia are to the effect that a wonderfully rich strike was made a few days ago in the Red Jacket mine, the property of the Eastern Oregon Gold Mining Company, the vein in many places of the ledge showing solid gold and in consequence the Red Jacket tunnels are now kept securely under lock and key. The camp is considerably excited over the new find. The Simmons group are developing splendidly and the Stein mine is wonderful in extent, the ledge being easily traced for over two miles.

They must be having fun at Meacham. A correspondent writing from there says: "It is reported that in the school marm nashing contest now going on between the Auburn-haired, freckled faced dudes of Pendleton and the sallow-faced, yellow-haired cigarette specimens of the genus homo of La Grande, that the Pendleton dudes are 'six naps' ahead of their competitors. 'Tis claimed by the friends of La Grande 'b'ys' that if the stock of chewing gum east of the mountains holds out until the institute closes that the L. G. dudes will close the contest with a small number of 'laps' ahead of the P. D's."

At a regular meeting of Cove Lodge, No. 52, I. O. O. F., held at Cove, August 6, 1890, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe to remove from our midst our late Brother T. J. Russell,

WHEREAS, It is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues be had, therefore be it

Resolved, By Cove Lodge No. 52, I. O. O. F., that while we bow with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our Brother who has been taken from us.

Resolved, That in the death of T. J. Russell this Lodge laments the loss of a Brother who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity; an active member of the society whose utmost endeavors were exerted for its welfare and prosperity; a friend and companion who was dear to us all; a citizen whose upright and noble life was a standard of emulation to his fellows.

Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of this Lodge be extended to his family in their affliction.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Lodge and a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of our dear Brother, and a copy furnished THE OREGON SCOUT for publication.

JOHN M. PHRY,  
E. P. McDaniel, } Committee.  
JOHN MARTIN, }

**Electric Bitters.**

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A pure medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at Brown's drug store, Union.

**NOTICE.**

God's Blessing to Humanity—So Says an Oregon Pioneer, Ninety Years Old.

FOREST GROVE, Or., March 19.—I have used the OREGON KIDNEY TEA and obtained immediate relief. It is God's blessing to humanity. I take pleasure in recommending it to the afflicted. I am now nearly ninety years old, came to Oregon in 1842 in the employ of the Hudson Bay Company, and since I began using the OREGON KIDNEY TEA I enjoy good health.

DAVID MUNROE.

**Auction Sale of Horses.**

I, the undersigned, will sell at auction on the 13th day of September, 1890 at 2 o'clock p. m. at Robinson's corral, in the Cove, twenty head of horses, consisting of mares, colts and geldings, ranging in age from one to eight years. Terms of sale: six months time, notes with approved security, without interest.

JAMES F. KELLEY.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chills, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at Brown's drug store.

**Call and Settle.**

Having sold a half interest in my saloon business to G. D. Johnson, I must have my accounts settled at once. All those indebted to me will govern themselves accordingly.

ED. REMILLARD.

**Important to Debtors.**

Each and every individual indebted to us is earnestly requested to call and liquidate, as we are in need of money. Money saved by settling without further notice.

BENSON BROS.

**Cooper Shop.**

S. B. Ayles proprietor, manufacturer of butter barrels and kegs. A good supply always on hand. Shop at Union depot, Union county, Oregon. 8-22-11.

## OUR SOCIAL WORLD.

### Brief Personal Mention—Epitome of the Week's Amusements.

Mr. J. M. Phry was in the city this week. Turner Oliver is rusticiating in Portland. U. F. Weiss, of Elgin, was in the city this week.

Mrs. John Eaton of the Cove visited Union yesterday.

Mr. E. P. McDaniel, of Cove, called on us Monday.

Mr. W. H. Rundall, of the Cove, called on us Monday.

Mr. Joel Weaver, of Indian valley visited Union, Monday.

Mrs. Frank Mitchell was up from the Cove, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deacon returned from Huntington, Monday.

Mrs. Alice Mitchell, of Telocaset, visited Union a few days ago.

Attorney Batcher, of Baker City, was in Union a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Rogers, of La Grande, visited Union this week.

Mr. Robt. Lloyd is visiting his mother, who lives near Telocaset.

Mr. Arthur E. Celler made our office a substantial visit last Friday.

Mrs. W. A. Gates, of Telocaset, was a visitor to the city, yesterday.

Attorney H. F. Burleigh and family, of Elgin, visited Union this week.

Mr. J. C. Christianson and Mr. R. I. Davis, of Elgin, called on us Saturday.

Mr. W. B. Boothe, of the Cove, was on our streets the forepart of the week.

Rev. Parker and wife, of Summerville, visited friends and relatives in Union this week.

Mr. Wm. Young orders the address of his Scout changed from Milton to Walla Walla.

Mrs. C. L. Blakeslee was taken quite sick last Monday but is much better at this writing.

Mr. Wm. James has invested in a brand new phonograph and is now prepared to put on a little style.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson's little boy, Roscoe, who has been quite sick for several weeks past, is improving.

Rev. S. M. Driver and daughter took their departure, yesterday for a visit to Portland and Spokane Falls.

Mr. W. H. McComas took his departure yesterday, for Pendleton and will probably remain there several months.

Mr. James W. Siler, special agent from the census department, was in the city this week. We acknowledge a pleasant visit from the gentleman.

Miss Ollie Slater, of La Grande, has accepted a position as one of the faculty of the Annie Wright Seminary at Tacoma, an educational institution for young ladies.

Miss Cora Knapp arrived here from Walla Walla county, Monday, and will attend school in this city during the winter. She is stopping with her sister, Mrs. John Johnson.

Mrs. Fannie Bidwell and Mrs. Elsie Bidwell took their departure last Sunday for a visit to friends and relatives in the eastern states. They will probably be gone two or three months.

Miss Laura Worrell who went to White City, Kansas, a few weeks ago to visit her mother who was sick, will return in a few weeks. Her mother, who is getting better will come with her.

Dr. W. E. Rinehart orders the address of his Scout changed from Portland to The Dalles where he has permanently located. The doctor and his wife visited relatives and friends in this county recently.

Mr. J. Newman, of Ladd canyon, made us a pleasant visit, yesterday. Mr. Newman will start the first of next month for his old home in Pennsylvania, which he has not seen since he was a boy, on a visit.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the Presbyterian church, Friday, August 29th, at 2:30 p. m. A special offering will be received in aid of the Chinese Home in Portland. All are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Mina Hastings, of Peconica, Ill., who is under engagement to teach the second intermediate department of the Union public school, arrived here last Thursday and seems to be well pleased with the town and surroundings. She secured rooms at the residence of Mrs. D. B. Hilts.

Mr. J. J. Blevans, of Walla Walla county, made us a pleasant call this week. He was greatly pleased at having just received a present from his son, which consisted of a cane, bridles and riding whip. The articles were made entirely of horse hair and were of unique design and excellent workmanship.

J. W. Kimbrell, of North Powder, Union county, has been selected by the commissioners to classify and appraise the residue lands of the Umatilla Indian reservation, as the surveyor, and is now in company with the commissioners, prosecuting the work. He writes to have the address of his Scout changed to Meacham for the next few months.

Mrs. Samuel Pursel, of North Union, is the happy possessor of a rare plant, which, though small, somewhat resembles the cactus. She has had the plant several years. A few evenings since it suddenly commenced to bloom and within an hour presented to the astonished gaze of the lady six beautiful flowers, white as milk, with brown hearts. The plant is quite a curiosity and greatly valued by Mrs. Pursel.

**THE M. E. CONFERENCE.**

An Interesting Session Held in this City—The Appointments.

The Idaho conference of the M. E. church convened in this city last Thursday and the meetings continued during the week. A large number of ministers were in attendance. The meetings were unusually interesting on account of the presence of Bishop Vincent who is a most eloquent divine and earnest worker. He is known in every state in the union as the originator of the Chautauqua idea of home education from which has grown the Chautauqua

Scientific and Literary Reading Circles, which are becoming quite popular among the churches. The bishop delivered two lectures in the opera house, while here, the church being too small to accommodate the large number of people who were desirous of hearing him. The appointments are made as given below. Rev. S. M. Driver, of this city, was chosen as presiding elder for the ensuing term. Some of the localities in the district were not filled and will be supplied hereafter by appointment:

Presiding elder, S. M. Driver, Union, Baker City—J. H. Wood.

Boise City—J. H. Skidmore.

Boise Valley—D. T. Monroe.

Burns—To be supplied.

Caldwell and Payette—J. S. Anderson.

Canyon City—To be supplied.

Cove—E. A. Thomas.

Emmett—To be supplied.

Enterprise—E. G. Fowler.

Hayley and Bellevue—F. S. Rogers.

Idaho City, Jordan Valley, Long Valley and Mountain Home—To be supplied.

North Powder—W. T. Chapman.

Pine Valley—Albert McCarr.

Salmon and Weiser—W. H. Zeller.

Shoshone—Thomas F. Alexander.

Silver City—To be supplied.

Summerville—Wm. Fanchur.

Sumpter—To be supplied.

Union—To be supplied.

Willow Creek—Wm. McCall.

Prof. Willamette University—H. K. Hines.

In school—M. R. Hackman and Samuel Thurlow.

**THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.**

Programme of the Meeting to be Held in this City Commencing Sept. 10th.

SEPT. 10, 7:30 P. M.

Music.

Address of Welcome—W. T. Wright.

Music.

Response—Pres. B. L. Arnold.

Music.

Address—Hon. J. P. Wager of Pendleton.

Music.

Declaration—L. J. Davis.

Declaration—Miss Maude Summers.

Music.

SEPT. 11, 9 A. M.

Music.

Address—Breeds of cattle and their adaptation to particular uses, Prof. H. T. French.

Music.

General Discussion—T. B. H. Green, O. P. Goodall and Jesse Imbler.

Music.

SEPT. 11, 1:30 P. M.

Music.

DAIRY FARMING.

Essay—E. P. McDaniel.

Essay—W. T. Wright.

Music.

General Discussion—J. M. Selder, Wm. G. Peach, John Wagner and others.

Music.

SEPT. 11, 7:30 P. M.

Music.

Address—Roads and Road Building, by Prof. J. D. Letcher.

Music.

General Discussion—O. P. Goodall, I. N. Sanders and others.

Music.

Declaration—Turner Oliver.

Music.

SEPT. 12, 9 A. M.

Music.

AGRICULTURE.

Address—Diversified Farming, Hon. J. W. Norval.

Music.

Address—General Farming, Hon. M. W. Mitchell.

Music.

General Discussion—W. G. Hunter, Jas. Woodell, J. L. Roe, and others.

Music.

SEPT. 12, 1:30 P. M.

Music.

Address—Facts and Figures on Fruit Pests, Prof. F. L. Washburn.

Music.

Essay—Fruit Culture, H. J. Geor.

Music.

General Discussion—Jas. Hendershott, A. Gungloff, and others.

Music.

Essay—Bee Culture, C. T. Wise.

Music.

SEPT. 12, 7:30 P. M.

Music.

Essay—Mines and Mining, Col. Robt. Kelly.

Music.

General Discussion—W. T. Burdett, W. J. Towline, J. A. Wright, and others.

Music.

Address—Best Method of Treating Ores, etc., Col. Criley.

Music.

Closing Remarks—Pres. B. L. Arnold.

Music.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

**USEFUL INFORMATION.**

Tilbury Fox, M. D., the eminent medical writer in his work "Skin Diseases," thus accounts for the pimples so common on the face and neck. Eating too rich or too greasy food, or too hearty eating while the excretory organs are sluggish causes in most people indigestion or a dyspeptic condition, which causes the blood to move sluggishly, which in turn clogs the pores. The result is, that the exuding secretions block in the pores, which inflame, each distinct inflammation being a pimple. Dr. Fox therefore does not prescribe "blood purifiers" so called, but a "dyspepsia cure" to be taken, to use his own words "till the dyspeptic symptoms have disappeared." The old idea was, that face eruptions were caused by a "humor in the blood," for which the treating the blood, giving the mineral potash. Hence the reason why the older sarsaparilla contain potash. Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla follows the modern ideas of Dr. Fox, and aims with gentle vegetable alteratives at the stomach and digestive organs. The reason is apparent why it cures dyspepsia and indigestion, and the pimples and skin eruptions which result therefrom, and why sarsaparilla that use minerals fail.

**Two Trains Daily Between Portland and Spokane Falls.**

Effective May 11, 1890, the Union Pacific System will establish two daily trains between Portland and Spokane Falls. Pullman Palace Sleepers and Reclining cars will be run between Portland and Spokane Falls without change.

This new arrangement will afford both local and through passengers additional and unsurpassed facilities. Tickets, detailed time of trains, and general information, can be obtained upon application to any ticket agent Union Pacific System.

T. W. LEE,  
Gen'l Pass. Agent.

**Is Consumption Incurable?**

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs and friends and physicians pronounced an incurable consumptive. began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, an now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middlewater, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Trouble. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottles free at Brown's drug store.

## THE SCOUT PREMIUM.

An Excellent Offer to Anyone Who Wants a Good Dictionary.

Webster's Unabridged Dictionary which formerly cost \$10 and 12, will be given to all new subscribers to THE OREGON SCOUT, and old subscribers who will renew and pay one year's subscription in advance, for \$4.50.

The subscription price of THE SCOUT is \$1.50 per annum. Anyone sending us the names of 10 new subscribers, with the cash, will receive one of these superb dictionaries free of charge. This is the best chance for securing a good dictionary ever presented and should set the boys and girls of the country to work with a will in getting up clubs.

The wants of the people—of the great mass of the people at least—do not require for their satisfaction an investment of \$10 in a dictionary. In most cases that amount can be better expended in the purchase of articles more urgently needed. The reprint edition of Webster's Dictionary offered by THE SCOUT serves as a reliable guide for spelling and pronunciation. It contains, besides, more than 100,000 words, a complete vocabulary of mercantile and legal terms, scriptural and historical proper names, Greek and Latin proper names, an appendix of more than 10,000 uncommon words, 1,500 cuts and other useful and instructive matter in great quantity. It is in short an indispensable book for every student and family, and costs so little that every family can afford to have it. The paper and binding are both good, and the book will bear examination. Call at this office, see sample copy and be convinced.

**Hay For Sale.**

About one hundred tons of hay for sale, one and one-half miles from Telocaset depot. Timothy and wild hay mixed.

8-28-11 TOMBLESON BROS.

**MARRIED.**

THOMAS—SMITH.—At the Union City hotel, Aug. 20, 1890, Mr. William Thomas and Miss Lela Smith, of La Grande, Rev. Boothe officiating.

LEAVITT—DEARTH.—At the Union City hotel, Monday, Aug. 25, 1890, Rev. Boothe officiating, Mr. F. A. Leavitt and Mrs. Cora Dearth.

**DIED.**

FICKLIN.—